NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE PROMULGATION

AGENCY: Department of Marine Resources

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192

RULE NUMBER AND TITLE: DMR Regulation 95.04 LL, Closed Area No. 37-B, Blastow Cove, Deer Isle.

TEXT OF RULE: DMR Regulation 95.04 LL, Closed Area No. 37-B, Blastow Cove, Deer Isle.

1. Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, mussels, oysters, quahogs or other marine mollusks taken from the shores, flats and waters of Blastow Cove, Deer Isle, inside and easterly of a line drawn from the northwesternmost point of land to the southwesternmost point of land in Blastow Cove on the eastern shore of Little Deer Isle.

Violation of any provision of this regulation shall be a Class D Crime $(12 \, \text{M.R.S.A.}$ Section 6204).

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 17, 1988

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STATEMENT OF FACT AND POLICY

As authorized by 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192, the Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources enacts the emergency DMR Regulation 95.04 LL, Closed Area No. 37-B, Blastow Cove, Deer Isle, which closes all shores, flats and waters of Blastow Cove. This closed area contains licensed overboard waste discharges. The probability of malfunction of these systems pose a threat to the public health and consequently the harvest of clams, mussels, oysters, quahogs and other filter feeding mollusks is prohibited in the closed area.

E. PENN ESTABROOK Deputy Commissioner



Maine Department of Marine Resources

Legal Notice of Shellfish Closure Area For: Deer Isle





